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| RESPONSE TO ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | Attorney Docket No. | 10040506-1 |
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Advisory Action dated July 25, 2007 and further to Applicants' response submitted July 11, 2007 to the Final Office Action dated May 11, 2007. This response is filed in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination and a petition for a 1 month extension of time.

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